

RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

JUN 16 2004

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.: QUEST-1100
Application No.: 09/713,415
Page 1

#9

OFFICIAL

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Phillip D. Bondurant et al)
Application No.: 09 / 713,415) Group Art Unit: 2877
Filed: 11/15/2000) Examiner: PHAM, HOA Q.
For: Method and Apparatus for In Situ)
Inspection of Reformer Tube)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT ELECTION

In response to the Office Action dated 09/20/2002 (Paper No. 4), please make the following election:

Please elect species No. I, claims 1-12 and 29-31.

Cancel Claims

Please cancel claims to species II and II, claims 13-28.

REMARKS

A petition pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.137(b) to revive and unintentionally abandoned application is being submitted concurrently, herewith.

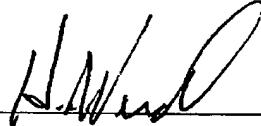
ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.: QUEST-1100
Application No.: 09/713,415
Page 2

Conclusions

In view of the foregoing, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and reexamination of this application and the timely allowance of the pending claims.

Respectfully submitted,

Hayward A. Verdun, LLP

By: 

Hayward A. Verdun

Reg. No. 43,223

Dated: December 28, 2003

Hayward A. Verdun, LLP
609 Alder Ave NE, Suite 1000
Bainbridge Island, WA 98110
206.855.8697
206.396.8683